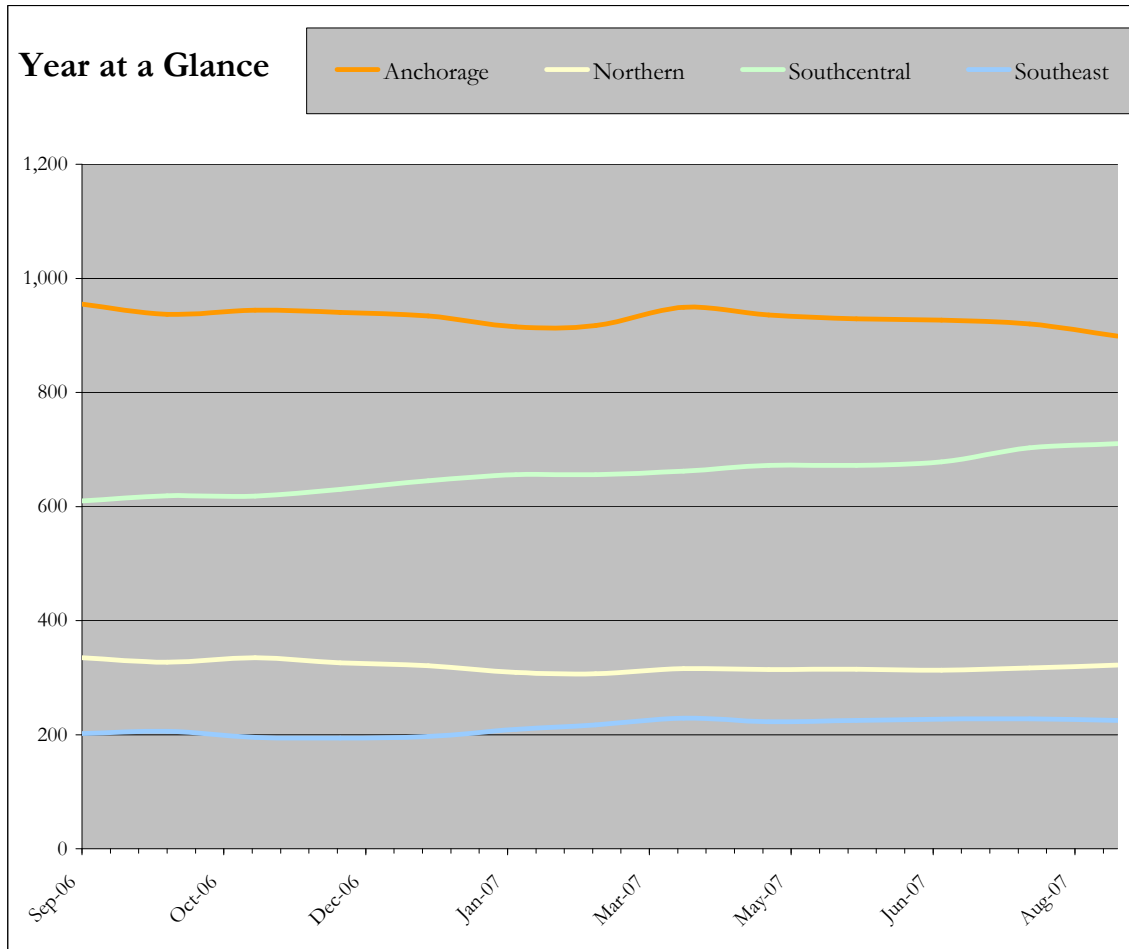


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement between September, 2006, and September, 2007, by Region.

Region	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07
Anchorage	955	937	944	940	934	915	917	949	936	929	927	920	899
Northern	335	327	335	326	321	309	307	316	314	315	313	317	322
Southcentral	610	619	618	630	645	656	656	662	672	672	678	703	710
Southeast	202	206	195	194	197	209	217	229	223	225	227	228	225
Total	2,102	2,089	2,092	2,090	2,097	2,089	2,097	2,156	2,145	2,141	2,145	2,168	2,156

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthlyreport.sas.

Data in this report is as of July 1, 2008. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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